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1. In reply to the inquiry of Sen. Ives' office, I informed Miss Davis that had difficulties with his supervisors and had
been transferred to a different position because of this once and his work
performance continued to be unsatisfactory, and that he resigned in the
face of the proposed issuance of a 90 day warning letter. In connection
with this letter, we proposed again to transfer him to another project
in view of his complaints about his supervisor and warned him that his
work was below that required of a person holding a GS-13 rating. I
stated that had not only had full consideration from the
Personnel Office, but also had his case reviewed by the Inspector General's
office, who concurred in the findings. Miss Davis said that they were
interested in our side of the story in view of request of the 25X1A
Senator's office to secure a hearing and that she appreciated receiving
this information.
2. The House has passed H.R. 3882, containing certain additional
exemptions from the registration provisions of those who have knowledge
of foreign intelligence systems. Two of these sections have been included
at the request of CIA. The bill now goes to the Senate where it failed of
passage in the last Congress. However, it is possible that it will receive 25X1C
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4. I spoke with Lyman Hamilton of the Bureau of the Budget regarding the possibility that Congressional action might make it almost mandatory for CIA to locate its new headquarters at Langley, Virginia. If this is so, it would be necessary for us to revive legislation authorizing CIA to receive funds which could be utilized in the extension of the George Washington Parkway to the Public Roads site.